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In re application of:

Joyce

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Examiner: Jim Vannucci

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Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Examiner:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 27, 2005 (the "Office Action"), please enter the following amendment and consider the following remarks.